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Charles B. Strong, Pioneer, Passes Away

Charles B. "Charlie" Strong, aged 73, passed away in the Lethbridge Hospital at 8 a.m. Tuesday morning where he had been for 10 days after his illness took a turn for the worse.

Deceased was widely known in Southern Alberta, where the family had made their home since the early days of settlement here, about 1903 or thereabouts. A native of Wales, deceased migrated to Utah in his early years and later from Utah to Southern Alberta. He was a stone mason and bricklayer by profession and had worked on most of the larger buildings of Raymond, Cardston and Magrath while his health permitted such work. He was a veteran of World War I where he served with distinction, and until his health failed him was an active member in the Local Legion.

In church activities he took a special delight in music and for years was choir leader of the Raymond ward when it was first organized and of the Raymond 2nd Ward when the division of the wards was made. Many singers learned their part singing, and absorbed an appreciation of the higher arts from contact and instruction from C. B. Strong. He was a faithful member of his Church and during the erection of the 2nd Ward Chapel donated liberally of his work to the project.

His wife predeceased him a number of years ago, and five living children, three boys and two girls mourn his passing. The children are Hubert, of Camrose, Milton of Lethbridge, Joseph of Raymond, Mrs. Leona Anderson of Salt Lake City and Miss Dorothy of Raymond. We extend our deepest sympathy to them in their bereavement. Funeral services will be held Sunday afternoon at 2:30 with Bishop L.L. Palmer in charge.

Geo. Court is on a vacation for a couple of weeks in Vancouver, B. C.

The Men and Gleaners held Fireside Sunday night at the Ira McBride home. Miss Norma Smith gave a very interesting book review.

The annual District Conference of District 116 of Rotary International which includes our Club, will be held this year at Calgary on March 27 and 28. Reservations are being asked for ten from the Raymond Club including the Ladies.

Hospital Board In Regular Meeting

The Raymond Municipal Hospital Board met Tuesday night in an organization meeting. The members of the old Board, as well as the newly elected members were present. The new board took the oath of office, administered by E. S. Hawk, and in the organization Paul Moreland was elected Chairman, after a study of three different types, a motion was passed that man and J. S. Brantly be a third member. H. Dean Robinson was asked to carry on as Secretary-Treasurer of the Board. Minutes of recently held meeting were read and approved, for delivery and the Board is and then a discussion with Arch Meech over some of the equipment was carried on for quite awhile, deciding on some articles & holding some in abeyance for future consideration.

NEWS NOTES

Glen Bullock and Lloyd West left last week to commence military training in Calgary.

Ken Blair of the Mid-West Paper Sales was a visitor in Raymond on Monday.

Canadians today can buy all the meat they want, following temporary suspension of the ration of about two pounds a person a week in effect since last May. Meatless Tuesdays also are dropped for the time being.

Two bills reached the third reading stage in the Alberta legislature Monday. They were a bill, introduced by Hon. Solon Low, provincial treasurer, prohibiting sale or lease of lands to refugees for duration of the war and the Bee Diseases Act.

Meilyn T. King was speaker at the Rotary Luncheon Monday, and spoke on the Peace and conditions following world peace, and some points, which in his opinion must be observed by all parties, if we are to have a peace that is a peace. He pointed out some of the mistakes of the last efforts of the League of Nations, and said that individual expression of men and nations must be observed. Four girls from the Public School, directed by Mrs. K. Redd sang two numbers. The International Service Committee under the Chairmanship of Tommy Roberts had charge of the program.

IT HAS SNOWED

Following a blizzard, with a nice warm, balmy Sunday, the mercury started down Monday forenoon as snow commenced falling, and until dark Tuesday night, the snow continued to fall with the mercury down around the zero point and a cutting north-west wind blowing most of the time. The snow is light and powdery, and everyone hopes it will stay put and melt, as if high winds start it drifting clouds will be very bad in places.

This is the most winter in the spell we have had so far. The snow will be welcome for moisture and unless it forgets when to stop, the storm will be welcomed by everyone. The snow was about 6 inches deep on the level Tuesday night when the storm let up a little.

Jacks Win Over Magrath 50-27

Playing before a full house Monday night the Union Jacks took sweet revenge on the Magrath Seniors for a three point defeat last week by winning their league game 50-27. Magrath brought a large number of fans with them, and these, with the Raymond boosters on the other side of the house made an interesting and well divided gallery.

The first few minutes of the game were very even. Fred Turner drew first blood with a nice field basket, and Magrath came right back with one to match it. Play was fast, several fouls were tumbled up on nearly every player, but nearly all were accidental. The 1st quarter ended 16-10 for Raymond. At the half time bell it was 25-17 with Magrath pressing hard to even the score and the Jacks fighting back hard to maintain and increase their lead. The three quarter score was 38-21, and the final count showed 50-27 for the Jacks.

The game was a good one to watch. Always at sword points these two teams kept their fans pretty well in control. There was one or two momentary flare ups, and once or twice the referee "Chick" MacIntosh, the players undertook to tell who handled the game alone,

where to head in at. Right in the dying moment of the game, Dunlop and two of the Magrath went down together, and one of the Magrath boys received a bruise on the head that bled quite freely for a few minutes. One player from each team was thumped to the showers for this mix-up.

MacIntosh worked alone and handled the game very well. He gave no quarter and made the boys play ball all the time, and in our opinion deserves a word of praise for his work.

The lineup and score was as follows:

Magrath: B. Sabey, 6; G. Pill ing, 5; G. Hamilton, 11; D. Sabey, D. Toomer, 2. 1. Bourne, 3; N. Sabey, J. Bridge. Total 27
Raymond: Nalder, 17; R. Walker, 2; Evans, 4. Turner, 14; Meeks; Nilsson, 8; Dunlop 5; W. Nalder. Total 50.

In a very interesting and hard fought preliminary the Stirling Seniors defeated the Raymond High School team 51-44. This game was as interesting as the senior game. The Stirling boys had to put all they had into the game to pull out a win, and the High School aggregation showed real form in making the visitors extend themselves to take the decision.

High School Plays Very Enjoyable

Wednesday night the three plays prepared by the local High School under the general direction of Mrs. E. J. Shortliffe, were presented to a crowd that filled the Sake Recreation Hall to the limit. The plays were well presented, and very enjoyable, the actors and actresses and directors are certainly worthy of praise for their efforts.

The Grade X offering was a galloping comedy "Elmer." We believe galloping is well chosen, as Jimmy Heninger, the star of the act galloped in and out and up and down all through it. Characters were well chosen and gave a fine interpretation of the plot, and the decision in favor of this group amongst the three was well received and popular as was shown by the applause.

Grade XI presented a Mexican act "Sunday Costs Five Pesos." The pepper in the temperament of the Mexicans was well exhibited by the girls in the east, and when they had their fight, even on Sunday when it meant a five peso fine, people wondered if a Doctor would not be needed to mend the breaks and bruises. Stephen Wood was the lone male in this offering and he played a good part as the suffering and persistent lover.

"The Happy Journey" was Grade XII's presentation. This comedy was in pantomime and the characters done a wonderful job of opening and closing windows that were not there, looking in mirrors and locking non-existent doors, washing in an imaginary wash basin, and even bouncing around on the road in an imaginary car. It was an offering that required perfect coordination of action and words to make anything of this and it was done to a finesse. Bud

Harpsicordist At Home



Greta Kraus, harpsichordist, formerly of Vienna, is heard in a series of CBC (Trans-Canada) broadcasts on Sundays at 9:45 p.m. CDT. The broadcasts originate in Miss Kraus's home studio. Here she is seen at home with her guests Dr. Healey Willan and Miss Agnes Butcher.

Red Cross Meeting Well Attended

NEWS NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Peterson are spending a few days with relatives here. Eldon is an officer in the R.C.A.F.

Melvin Anderson returned to quarters at Calgary Monday afternoon after spending a leave at home.

Mrs. Frank Taylor returned home Monday following her operation and is progressing favorably. We wish her a speedy and complete recovery.

Stewart Robinson, who has recently graduated as Air Gunner and wears a Sergeant's stripes was home on a short leave this week before reporting back to Three Rivers, Que. Stewart is looking fine and says he is greatly enjoying his work.

PLANE SLICES OFF TOP OF CAR

Vauxhall, Feb. 28.—A startling and unusual accident occurred a few miles from town on Thursday. While Bob and Arthur Whitlock were travelling across the provincial grazing lease in their car, a low flying plane cut off the top of the car completely, as with a knife. The body of the car received such a jolt that it was put out of commission, and the boys, who, fortunately received no very great injuries, were able to walk to the nearest house. Later it was necessary for both to have medical attention for their injuries, but they considered themselves more than lucky to have escaped with their lives. It was later reported that the plane returned to its base.—Lethbridge Herald.

Palmer had a fine game of marbles with himself. Jimmy May done a great job of driving the car and Bernice Litchfield carried on a line of chatter with everyone in a neighborly manner. Margaret Wing was the inquisitive daughter always asking questions and wanting something and Norma Redd was an interested and devoted married daughter.

The judges had a real as this local is classified, dried signment in picking a winner. The plays were entirely different in type and had to be judged differently. The suggestions of praise and criticism of the judges was very valuable and taken in good part by the students respect. Now that so much and will make for better work could be done at such small exert time. Miss Kathleen Tappense and inconvenience we for directed Grade X. Miss should rally to the Red Cross Florence Piegrass directed the call not only in dollars but in Grade XI offering and Miss also the very blood of life to Norma Litchfield had charge help our boys and men in the of Grade XII's work. front lines.

Moreland Elected To Hospital Board

In Saturday's voting for a member from the Sugar City M. D. on the Hospital Board, P. K. Moreland of New Davien won over Don E. Wilde of Wellington with a majority of 62 votes. There were 306 votes cast, 122 for Wilde and 184 for Moreland.

There was a great deal of interest in the election because one faction was out to stop the progress of the Municipal Hospital scheme, while the other one was definitely for it. There had been a strenuous campaign waged the preceding week, nearly every voter in the district being visited by both sides. Judging by the comments after the votes were cast, the majority of Sugar City people are definitely in favor of getting a Municipal Hospital, and that it be done as soon as possible.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Meldrum received word Monday forenoon that their son, Verl was reported missing after an operational flight on Sunday. With them we are hoping for further and cheering news of their son's whereabouts.

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and district

S. I. MAY Editor.

BEYOND VICTORY—WHAT?

This question, in many forms, is very much in the forefront of our thoughts at National Headquarters these days. With accumulating evidence that matters are rapidly approaching a gigantic smashing climax, we face two Red Cross horizons, one near, one farther away, both of vital importance.

The nearer horizon, of course, is the Red Cross responsibility in the coming struggle. With hundreds of thousands of our Canadian men, our own loved ones and friends, depending, perhaps for life itself, on Red Cross to see them through desperate, grueling hours of stress and suffering—we must strain to the uttermost, from now till then, "to be ready," with mercy and healing, and comfort, in our hands. It is a horizon of privilege—may we be worthy of it.

The other horizon, the one farther away, is postwar reconstruction. These big words reflect tragedy of dimensions almost beyond comprehension. Are we capable, you and I, of visualizing millions and millions of souls in war-torn Europe and elsewhere, uprooted from cherished homes and surroundings, separated from families they love, possessions gone, hungry, destitute, lost? Quite frankly, I can't envision this; it's too big and monstrous—but the little I can understand makes me want to help, fully, in the name of

NEWS NOTES

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Hildon Gibb a baby boy, on Thursday March 2nd. Mother and son are doing fine.

Alex Smith was taken to the Lethbridge Hospital on Wednesday for an operation and treatment for his back.

Varian Layne, who has been driving truck in Edmonton for some months past, is home for a few days visit.

Word was received Tuesday morning that Vert Lybbert, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lybbert was reported missing in action.

Barker Selman, who is stationed in Kingston, Ontario, with the R. C. Signals, is home on a short leave.

Frank Rabusie and Murray Bullock have reported in Calgary for training in the R. C. A. F.

Mark Dahl returned last week to Lachine, Que., after a ten days leave at home. Mark has received his commission now as Pilot Officer and we congratulate him on his promotion.

President of Rotary International Charles Wheeler of San Francisco, was a Winnipeg visitor last week to the annual International meeting. Winnipeg was the first Rotary Club organized outside the United States and was the Club that made Rotary International and they always have a big meeting on this anniversary occasion. This year representatives were present from 34 Canadian and American clubs.

A want ad will tell it—sell it—trade it—or rent it. Try it!

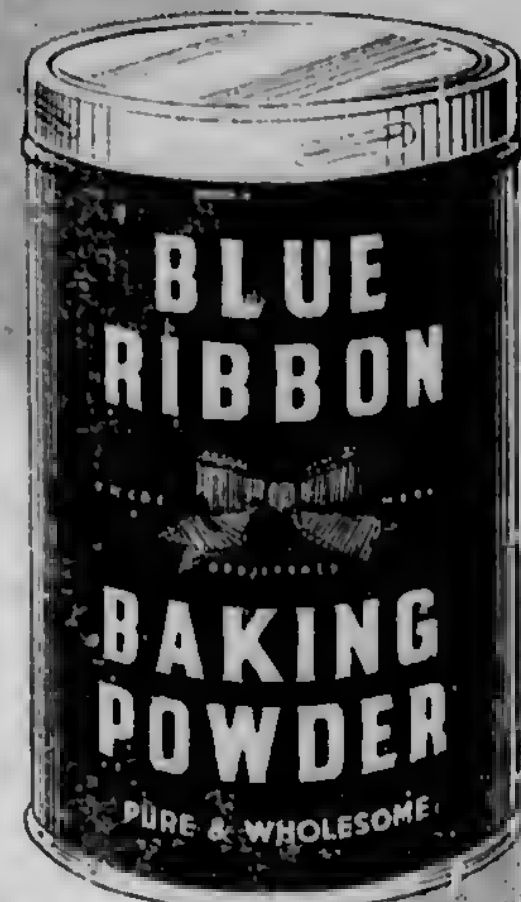
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Fromm's Jewelry

SHOULD WE AIM TO INCREASE OUR FORAGE CROPS IN 1944

It has often been said that a man who predicts weather conditions for Alberta is either a fool or a newcomer to the province. One hesitates, therefore, to guess what sort of a winter that of 1944-45 may be. We do know, however, that the weatherman has a way of giving us a severe winter periodically and sometimes it arrives when we least expect it, and are ill prepared for it. It would be a great mistake to let this winter's feed requirements have much influence upon the amount provided for next winter.

A study of the weather records of the Lethbridge Station shows that last winter should be considered as being a little more severe than the average for the district as far as temperature is concerned. The five winters preceding it, however, cannot be looked upon as being more severe than average. For several years the feed surplus throughout the district when spring arrived has been very small, and there is good reason to believe that when this spring arrives it will be very small again, in spite of the fact that this winter has been exceptionally mild to date. The winter situation in this district could very well have been quite serious for many farmers had this winter proved to be a severe one. A repetition of a winter like 1919-20 with the disastrous effects the feed shortage had upon high priced cattle is certainly something we would all have to experience.

Alfalfa is, of course, the best kind of hay for irrigated land and the acreage devoted to it on many farms could be increased to advantage. Besides being the best source of winter feed the alfalfa crop is an excellent soil builder and weed eradicator. We have no other crop that will compete with alfalfa in serving these three purposes. Unfortunately at the present time the proportion of irrigated land devoted to alfalfa in the Lethbridge District is lower than it has been at any time in the past twenty-five years. The low price of hay and the poor demand for the same, until about three years ago, together with the practice of breaking up alfalfa meadows for sugar beets, have been responsible for this decreased acreage. Sweet clover and red clover can be used to advantage in short rotations on irrigated land. Anyone intending to seed alfalfa this spring should arrange for a supply of seed immediately, as alfalfa seed is quite scarce this season.

On dry land crested wheat grass and brome are still the most likely to be scarce. Where these grasses are sown as a permanent crop, either for hay or pasture purposes, a legume such as alfalfa should always be included along with them, as the increased nitrogen supplied to the soil by the legume makes the grasses more productive. Sweet clover can also be used to advantage in certain cases. It should be remembered that it is a biennial and where it is used no legume will be present after the second year.

Listed among the cars of wheat recently shipped by Alberta Pool Elevators to the United States was a car of 3 North ern billed to John A. Johansen, of Fairview, Utah. Mr. Johansen is a former Alberta Wheat Pool delegate, having resided at Woolford in Southern Alberta for many years. A few years ago he returned to Utah to engage in farming and sheep raising.

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CANADIAN RED CROSS URGENTLY NEEDS \$10,000,000.00

The Canadian Red Cross National appeal for \$10,000,000 opens on February 28th, when the people of Canada will be asked to contribute just as much as they possibly can to make this objective a certainty.

Coming into the fifth year of a wide-spread war, with more Allied countries desperately in need of supplies and comforts of all kinds, the Canadian Red Cross is stepping up production in every department to meet requisitions as they come in.

This year there are more prisoners of war \$5,500,000 must be spent on food parcels alone, with an additional \$1,000,000 for parcels for Allied Red Cross Societies.

Dried blood serum is growing in importance with the advance

of our armed forces, and \$750,000 will be required to keep this vital service functioning at top speed as it must.

Hospital supplies and comforts for the Forces require \$3,000,000.00.

With a growing feeling that the war may be coming to a close, there is an even greater need for concentration on Red Cross supplies. The peoples of the occupied countries have been stripped of their possessions. They have literally nothing left. With the ending of hostilities, Canadian Red Cross will be faced with an extension of her active war services.

Peacetime commitments have been kept up, with regard to nursing and first aid outpost hospitals and public health. To meet any eventually, Canadian Red Cross must stand prepared.

There has never been a time in the history of Canadian Red Cross when there was a greater

FARM FOR VICTORY

A FARMER'S CREED "WE FARM FOR CANADA"

W. R. Hanson, District
Agriculturist

Note: Here is a Farmers Creed adapted from the first prepared and adopted by the rural citizens of New Kent, South California, and later by a number of farm groups in the United States. It has been re-written for Canadian use and appeared in a recent issue of Country Life. It is worth the careful thought of every Canadian farmer.

OUR LAND A TRUST: We will treat our land as a heritage from the past which we will hold in trust for future generations. The soil has taken thousands of years to build and we will hand it on richer and more productive than we received it.

FEED THE NATION: We are called on to feed the nation now in time of war and a starving world when the war is over. In a spirit of unselfish patriotism we will play our fullest part in the nation's war effort and in her task of remaking the world.

DEFEND THE NATION FROM WITHIN: We can defend Canada from the foe within, while the men at the front defend her from the foe without. Canada has no more deadly enemy than those forces which work to break down her moral character, to destroy her faith in God and divide her by settling

need for the all-out support from loyal Canadians. Last year the objective was reached . . . and passed.

This year the need is even greater. Canadian Red Cross is the living link between Canadians at home and kin overseas. Keep mercy on the march.

ing class against class and race against race. When the farmers stand firm and fight for the moral re-armament of the nation, Canada will be proof against those evils.

SOUND HOMES FOR SOUND FARMS: We will make our home life a pattern for the nation. A country is as strong, healthy and united as its home life. A sound home makes a sound farm, a home where everybody in the family plays his or her part.

GOOD NEIGHBORING: We will be good neighbors. Neighboring was once the secret of our democracy. Now is the time to bring that spirit back. We need each other today. "Each man for himself" will not build the community of Canada we want. Neighboring means sharing our neighbor's needs and doing our best to meet them.

END PRIVATE WARS: We will end all private wars. Honest apology starts teamwork. National unity begins when you and the fellow you don't get along with straighten things out. Unity between the nations will only come through the same spirit.

END WASTE: We will be thrifty in the kitchen, the cash-box, the machinery, the barns, the fields, the orchards and the forests.

OUT TO GIVE — NOT TO GET: Whatever we do we will always think first of what we can give to the nation rather than what we can get from it.

GUARDIANS OF NATIONAL CHARACTER: We farmers of Canada are guardians of the nation's character as well as of her soil. "He shall have Dominion from sea to sea" was the vision of the Fathers of Confederation. With our dependence on God, we can make that vis-

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The Open House hall has been painted this last week and presents a very inviting appearance. The ceiling is a light blue, the walls a buff, and the new benches built for the bleachers are a mahogany to match the chairs. Our congratulations to the Committee for their improvements here. We hope under the Youth Training scheme that further additions can be made to make this a real recreational centre.

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On March 31, the present gasoline licenses and ration coupon books will expire. After that date no gasoline will be sold except on the presentation of a 1944-45 ration book.

In his own interests, every vehicle owner is asked to apply at once for a new license and ration coupon book for each of his vehicles. Application forms must be completed in detail.

Commencing April 1, under the 1944-45 rationing plan, the operation of which will be basically the same as that now in effect, all non-commercial vehicle owners will again be allowed a basic "AA" gasoline license and ration coupon book, containing 40 units for a passenger car, or 16 for a motorcycle.

Similarly, owners of vehicles eligible for a "Special" category, who can prove their need, will be granted an extra vocational allowance, fixed in advance for the year ending March 31, 1945. In determining the extra allowance — which will be measured to individual needs — the previous category and mileage of the car will not necessarily be an important consideration.

The extra vocational coupons will again be issued in books labelled "Special", and each book will contain not more than 60 units. To permit constant review of the needs of each category applicant, only one "Special" book, or portion thereof, will be issued at a time. The Oil Controller also has the right to refuse any application for a "Special" category, or to suspend any ration coupon book for an infraction of the regulations.

The shortage of gasoline is still acute. Do not apply for a "Special" category unless your need is urgent.

Gasoline for commercial vehicles will again be rationed. To assure themselves sufficient gasoline to carry on normal business activities after March 31, operators of commercial vehicles are urged to complete at once and in detail the required application for each of their vehicles.

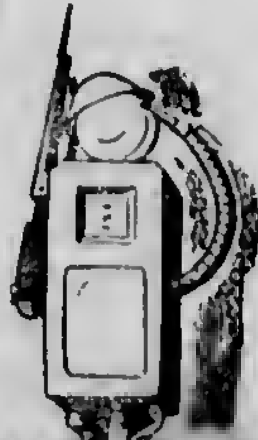
On and after April 1, service station attendants will not accept gasoline ration coupons unless the license plate number of the motor vehicle for which they were issued is written in ink on each coupon. Every motor vehicle must also display on its windshield a 1944-45 sticker indicating the category of the coupon book submitted at the time of the purchase.

If the owner of a motor vehicle sells, transfers or disposes of it in any way, it is his obligation to see that the gasoline license and ration coupon book for that vehicle is returned immediately to the nearest Regional Oil Control Office.

To obtain a gasoline license and ration coupon book, secure an application form at your nearest Post Office. Study the form and follow carefully the instructions contained therein.

When you receive your 1944-45 gasoline ration book, guard it carefully. Do not leave it in your car. If, because of your negligence, it is lost or stolen, it may not be replaced.

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HARD TO TELL

The visitor in the defense plant was talking to a worker. He pointed to a young worker nearby, who had short hair, a cap, slacks, a cigarette. "It's hard to tell if that is a boy or girl," said the visitor. "It's a girl, and she's my daughter," said the one he was talking to. The visitor said: "My dear sir forgive me. I did not know you were her father." And the other said: "I'm not her father—I'm her mother."

Reluctantly he faced the army oculist, who asked him to read a chart.

Want Ads.

FOR RENT—Two roomed house with full basement.—See Mrs. S. Dyson. 3M5

FOR SALE—2 milch cows. WANTED—Baby swing or jumper. See Louis Fisher.

WANTED—3 or 4 room house close in, for cash. Apply at Recorder Office.

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